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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Michael GOUGH

APPLICATION No.: 09/400,708

FILED: September 21, 1999

FOR: **METHOD AND ARTICLE OF MANUFACTURE
FOR AN AUTOMATICALLY EXECUTED
APPLICATION PROGRAM ASSOCIATED
WITH AN ELECTRONIC MESSAGE (AS
AMENDED)**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 24, 2003, in the above-identified application, please amend the claims and consider the following remarks. Applicant makes herewith a request for a two month extension of time to respond to this Office Action.